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TO AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 016982

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT, SHUM, KE

SUBJECT: DETENTION OF NOVELIST NGUGI WA THIONGO

REF: A) NAIROBI 0759 AND PREVIOUS; B) STATE 010276

1. NEWSWEEK STAFFER CONTACTED AF/E JANUARY 20 WITH
RESPECT TO STORY FILED BY NAIROBI STRINGER ON ARREST OF
NGUGI WA THIONGO. ON BASIS OF CONVERSATION, IT APPEARS
LIKELY THAT NEWSWEEK WILL RUN ARTICLE ON ARREST.

2. WOULD APPRECIATE INFORMATION ON CHARGES AGAINST NGUGI,
HIS CONDITION AND WHETHER MATTER YET RAISED WITH GOK
PER PARA 2 REFTTEL B. CHRISTOPHER

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Message Attributes

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